

HICO-KNOWLES FIELD

04-1145 and 04-1146

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3^d Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2004**, upon the application of **XTO ENERGY, INC.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A**, in the Hico-Knowles Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana.

1. To authorize Applicant to drill, designate and utilize one (1) alternate unit well each for CV RA SUF and CV RA SUG at the locations shown on the plat submitted with the application, or at any other locations within these units which would be in compliance with the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No.137-X, effective June 21, 1978.
2. To find that each of the proposed alternate unit wells is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, underlying the unit on which it is proposed to be drilled which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well within such unit.
3. To permit the Operator of CV RA SUF and CV RA SUG to produce the allowables assigned to these units from either the unit well, any alternate unit well, or from any combination of such wells, at the option of the Operator.
4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 137-X-6, effective July 27, 1999.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

**JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, La

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.